ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT

K.A.R. 115-4-4. Big game; legal equipment and taking methods.

DESCRIPTION: This regulation establishes legal equipment and taking methods for big game species. The proposed amendments would allow the use of knapped broadhead points for archery hunting, the use of scopes on muzzleloaders during the muzzleloader season, the use of hard-cast solid lead bullets for muzzleloader and firearms hunting, the use of .22 caliber centerfire cartridges for deer and antelope firearms hunting and the use of crossbows during the firearms season.

FEDERAL MANDATE: None.

ECONOMIC IMPACT: These amendments are not anticipated to have any appreciable negative economic impact on the department, other agencies, or the public. These amendments may spur sales of some types of newly authorized equipment but any amount would be purely speculative at this point.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED: None.